



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: **Assa et al.**
Appln. No.: **09/871,577**
Filed: **May 31, 2001**
Title: **EFFICIENT PACKET
TRANSMISSION OVER ATM**
Group
Art Unit: **2661**
Examiner: **Not Assigned Yet**

Conf. No.: **3460**

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this date.

11/13/04
Date

Kenneth H. Samples
Kenneth H. Samples
Registration No. 25,747
Attorney for Applicant(s)

Docket No.: **71426**

Cust. No.: **22242**

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

STATUS INQUIRY

Sir:

Inquiry is made as to the status of the above-referenced patent application. To date, the last correspondence received from the United States Patent and Trademark Office is the recorded Notice of Publication mailed 2/15/02.

Respectfully submitted,

FITCH, EVEN, TABIN & FLANNERY

Dated: 12/13/04

By: Kenneth H. Samples
Kenneth H. Samples
Registration No. 25,747

FITCH, EVEN, TABIN & FLANNERY
120 South LaSalle Street
Suite 1600
Chicago, IL 60603
Telephone: (312) 577-7000
Facsimile: (312) 577-7007